



Nevada Office of Project Management
Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP)

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TO: All State Employees

FROM: Lee-Ann Easton, Director

SUBJECT: Welcome to SMART 21!

On behalf of the Office of Project Management, I would like to welcome you to the Silver State Modernization Approach for Resources and Technology in the 21st Century; more commonly referred to as SMART 21.

For those of you that are new to SMART 21, this is an exciting new initiative and opportunity for Nevada! Established under Assembly Bill 504 of the 79th Legislative Session, SMART 21 is a key initiative for modernizing the State of Nevada's Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) system. The primary goal of SMART 21 is to achieve an "Efficient and Responsive State Government" that delivers excellent customer service, streamlined processes and assists state agencies in successfully attaining efficient and effective operations.

To meet this goal, SMART 21 is envisioned to replace our current human resources and financial management systems and provide agencies with easy-to-use reporting tools, improved data management and security, and added flexibility to manage agency operations. Additionally, SMART 21 will be integrated with a new State budgeting system, as well as modern solutions for e-procurement and grants management.

Currently, the Office of Project Management is engaged with over 250 employees and is working closely with our subject matter experts from departments across the State to identify the requirements needed to ensure our future ERP system will meet the needs of all state agencies. To this end, we would like to extend our sincere appreciation and say, "Thank You" to all of you that have participated in this project thus far.

As we move forward, the Office of Project Management will actively engage agency Directors and the State workforce providing updates, sharing information, and obtaining feedback via the SMART 21 Outreach Program. SMART 21 Outreach offers a variety of stakeholder events and venues including our informative newsletter and "town-hall" style meetings. To learn more about SMART 21, visit our Website at <http://smart21.nv.gov>, contact us via email at SMART21@nv.gov, or simply call our office at (775) 684-3343.

We look forward to your valuable input, and support.

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